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DEVELOPING SUSTAINABILITY

**6 DAY PROGRAMME | EDINBURGH AND ONLINE |
STARTING NOVEMBER 2026**

Key Outcomes

- Review your organisation's operational and financial sustainability
- Evaluate your assets and their fit with the needs of customers and beneficiaries
- Apply an enterprising mind-set to organisational structure
- Experience Design Thinking and how this might be applied to building your sustainability
- Explore partnership working as a route to increasing social impact and income generation

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This programme has given me many new tools/ideas on how to identify and improve our sustainability journey along with confidence to address some of the internal challenges around sustainability thinking

Previous Learner

Sustainability is a key concern for third sector organisations and social enterprises. Numerous challenges face the sector, both within their own structure and how they interact in the wider environment. Sustainability is also about how to expand, scale and develop what organisations are doing.

This programme explores these themes, looking at what is already working, how to sustain this and identifying what needs to change and how to make this happen.

WHO IS IT FOR

This is a six-day programme for Social Enterprises and Not For Profit organisations to examine and develop their organisational and financial sustainability.

COST

This programme is funded by Scottish Government through Just Enterprise and places are available at the highly subsidised rate of £180 for 6 days.

ACCREDITATION

Participants have the opportunity to complete a 10 credit SCQF level 9 qualification in Developing Sustainability, accredited by Glasgow Caledonian University, at an additional cost of £195.

PROGRAMME DETAILS

Delivery Method: This programme will be delivered with a combination of in person and online modules. The in person modules will be in central Edinburgh. The online modules will be delivered using Zoom. Each day of the programme will be a combination of live, facilitated sessions and some self-directed learning and reflection activities.

All sessions will be from 10am to 4pm.

PROGRAMME DATES

Module 1 27 November* & 4 November

- Welcome to the programme
- What is sustainability for your organisation
- Understanding your organisation's 'why' and your purpose
- Review of assets and strengths of the organisation
- Exploring growth mind set
- Visioning for the future

Module 2 8 & 22 January

- Review of value proposition and customers/stakeholders
- Examination of current and potential funding/income streams
- Building a strong team/board
- Developing partnerships/networking

Module 3 12 & 19* February

- Explore Design Thinking
- Embed resilience within yourself and your team
- Look at sustaining motivation
- Plan a way forward to build your organisation's sustainability

* In person days (27 November and 19 February)

MORE INFORMATION

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